

District 6 Director



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There are many attributes that make model railroading deserving of the title “World’s Greatest Hobby.” Sure, the hobby includes activities for just about any interest, from modeling and scenery to electronics, operations, and history. But what I find to be truly great is the willingness of everyone to share their knowledge and to be very helpful to anyone who asks. Even in our modelling contests, top modelers don’t keep secrets – they love to explain all of their little tips and tricks.

For me, participation in the NMRA has connected me with many individuals who were willing to help me improve my modeling skills and inspire me to do more.

I’m a retired mechanical engineer, so one facet of the hobby that I enjoy is layout design. I am in the process of building a new layout focused on switching the many industries in Aurora, Illinois on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy. Do you like operating? Come on by!

My vision for the Lone Star Region Division 6 is for us to grow the membership, and to make sure we have events that provide value to the members. As your Division 6 Director, I would like to get your input and find out how the NMRA can help you.